

**REMARKS**

By way of the present Preliminary Amendment, the claims 3 and 7 have been amended to further clarify that vision correction may be of a single aberration. The claims have also been amended to add claims 17-36. Support for the additional claims is found at least on pages 11-16 and throughout the specification as filed. The Applicants therefore respectfully request the present application be examined, allowed and passed to issue.

Respectfully submitted,



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